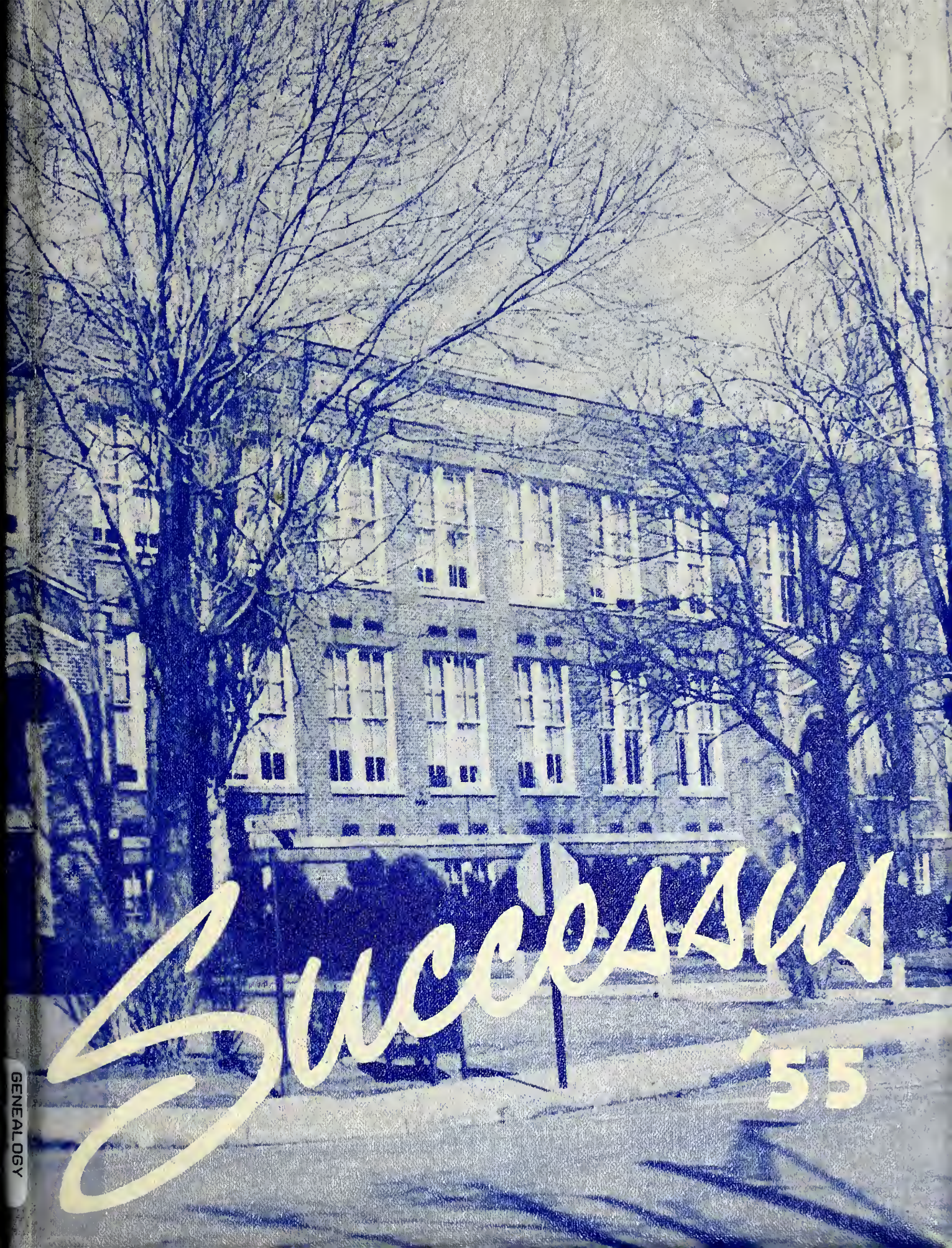


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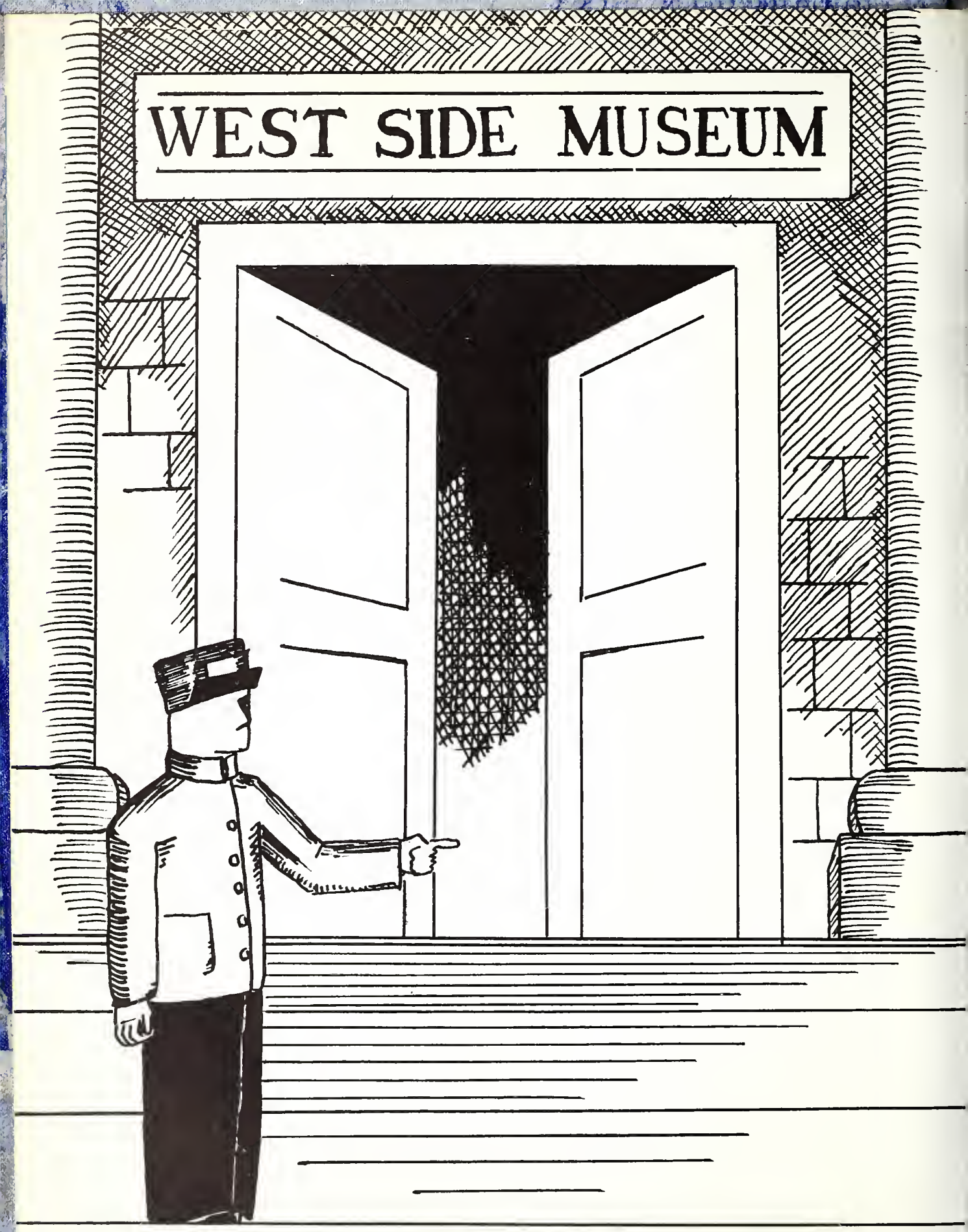
We of the Successus Staff wish to dedicate this book to the educators of Union City High School--past, present, and future. Due to their unselfish efforts our school has been, is, and always will be, outstanding.

UNION CITY WEST SIDE HIGH SCHOOL
Union City, Indiana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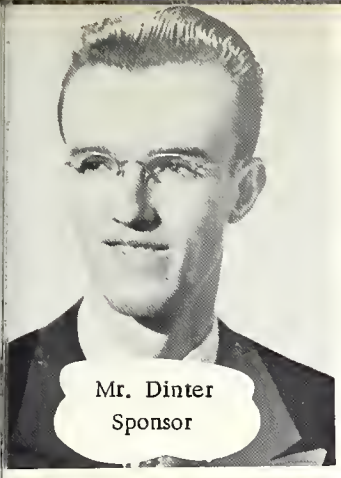

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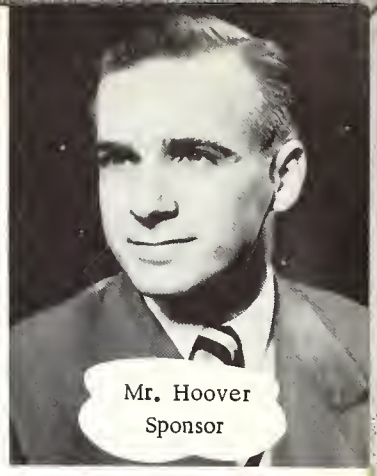

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Only comic books could be that interesting!

In person. "Our Miss Brooks."

If these are future bookkeepers, I'll keep my own books.

Which one of these eleven "Things" is Einstein?

Miss Huber! Come out of that oven!

Sounds so pretty that I can smell it up in the study hall.

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Rembrandts?

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1954-55 Librarians

"Study?" Hall

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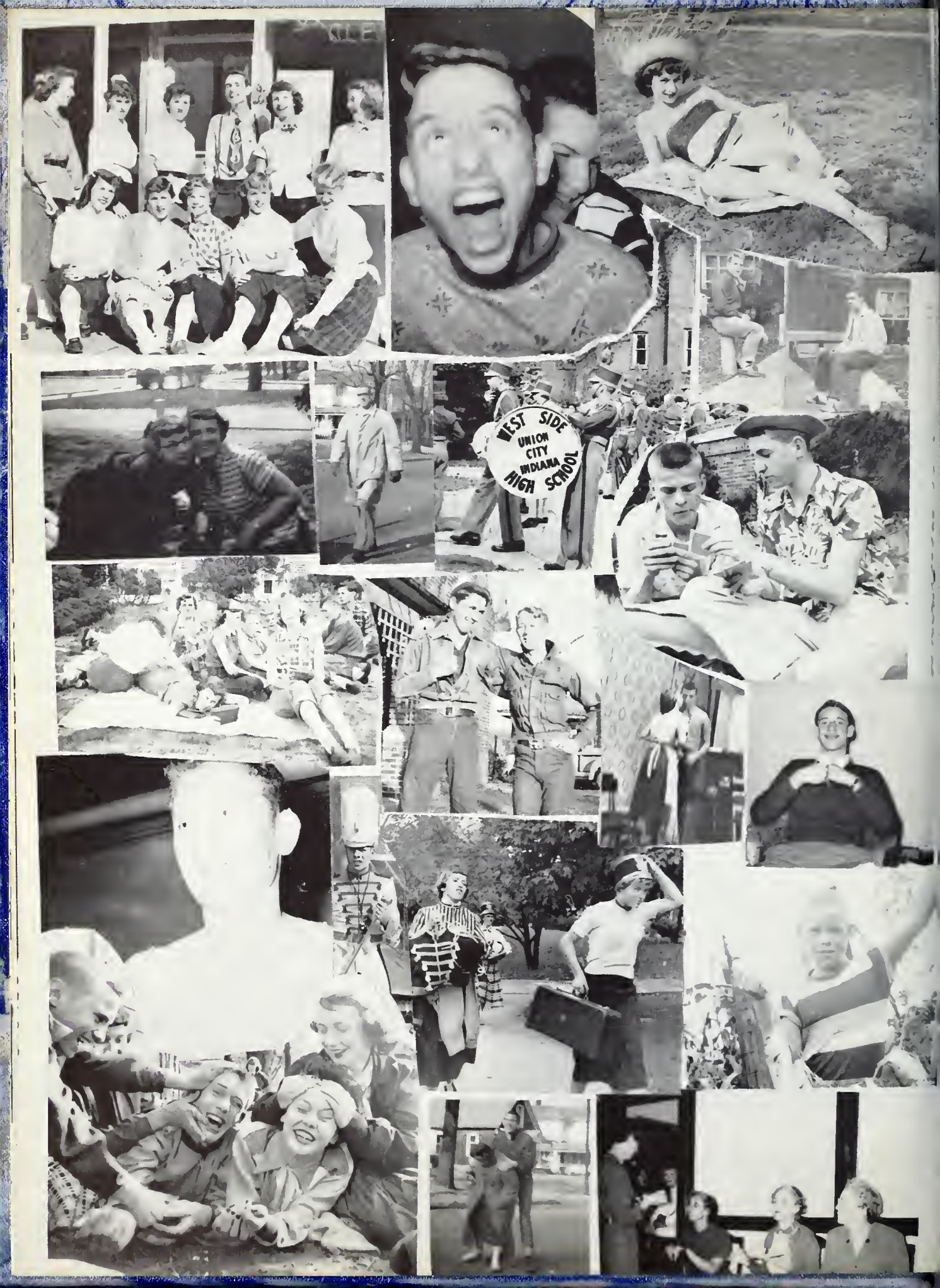
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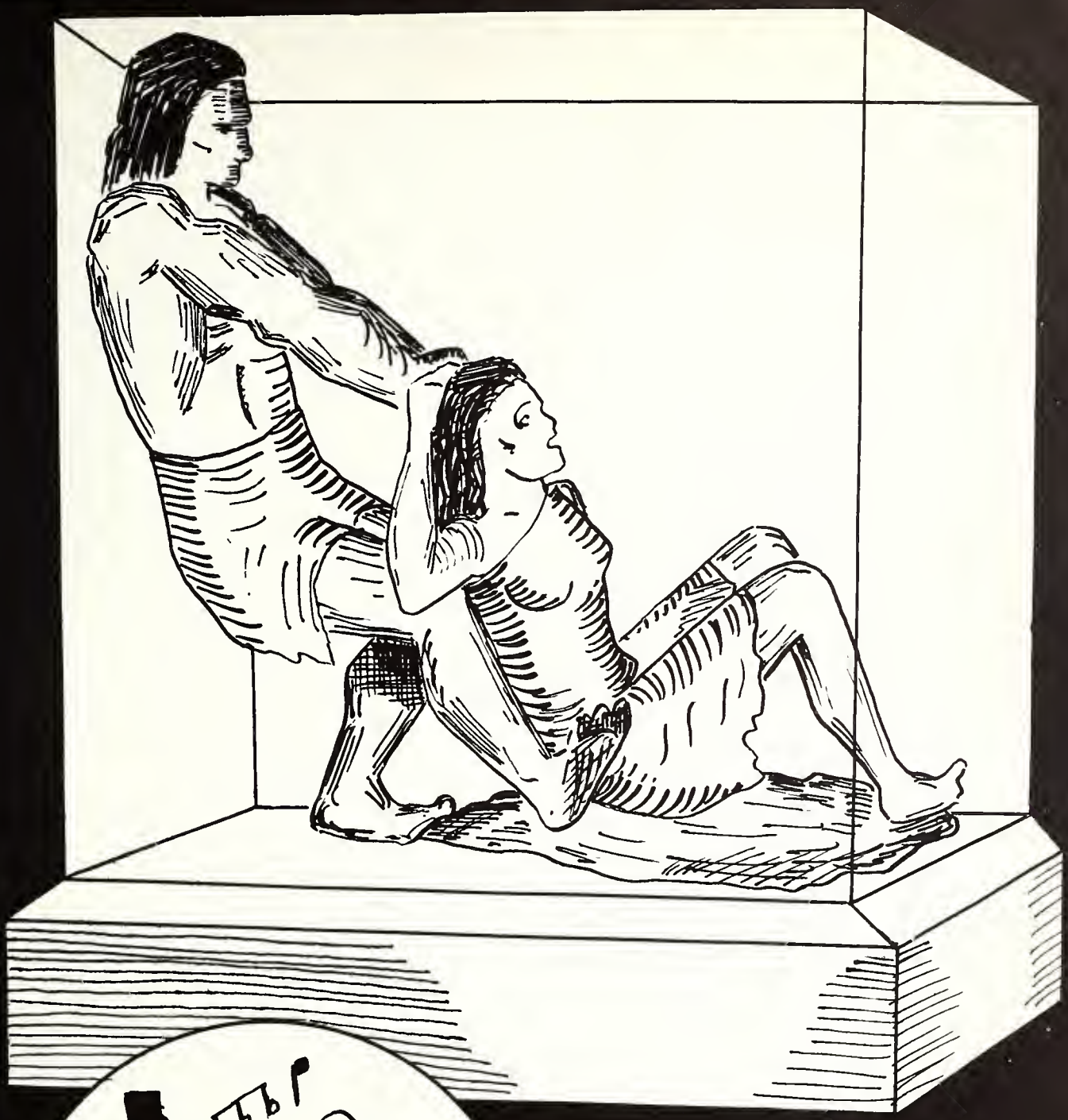


# Activities

# STUDENT COUNCIL

Mr. Harader
Mrs. Hankenhoff
Dick Byrum
Martha Miller
Dick Snyder
Donna Grindle
Mike Blankley
Judy Ackley
Tommy Wright
Patti Studebaker
Jimmy Weaver
Alicia Sutton

First row: Lu Emma Westfall, Carol Jenkins, Janet Adelsperger, Beverly Davis and Donna Clark.

Second row: Mr. Hoover, Carol MacDougal, Mary Stevens, Lila Faye Rogers, Larry Collins, Dianne Reeves, Kay Donna Smith, Carol Birum, Judy Ackley, Mr. Dinter and Martha Miller.

Front row: Kay Donna Smith, Alicia Sutton, Ann Williams, Kathryn Birum, Doris Shelly, Sara Douglas, Donna Grindle, Patty Norvel, Kay Turner, and Jan Passmore.

Second row: Judi Ackley, Martha Miller, Lila Faye Rogers, Nancy Ingle, Nancy Suitts, Patty Studebaker, Don Greek, Bill Wise, Fred Hofmann, Barbara Birum, Carol Birum, Jim Weaver, Toby Spradling and Terry Spradling.

Third row: Patti Ingle, Connie Frazier, Karen Coryell, Nancy Snyder, Sue Schmidt, Donna Wigger, Sam Hunt, Marvin Kegerreis, Mickey McClurg, Lincoln McEntire, Gary Van Skyock and Director Jack Henderson.

# U.C.H.S. ORCHESTRA

The orchestra worked this year on all types of music. On April 16, it participated in the State Music Contest. The orchestra also presented a concert in the Spring. The following officers were elected in September:

Carol Birum - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - President
Judi Ackley - - - - - - - - - - - - - Vice President
Nancy Suitts - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -Secretary
Jim Webster - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Treasurer
Sara Douglas - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Librarians
Sue Schmidt

CLARINETS:

Nancy Suitts
Shirley Ross
Sharon Hindsley
Patty Studebaker
Mike Haselmire
Don Greek
Ann Williams
Janice Hensley

TRUMPETS:

Carol Birum
Fred Hofmann
Bill Wise
Martha Miller
Allen Jefferis
Barbara Birum
Beverly Davis
Jim Weaver
John Elliott
Jeanie Parks

BARITONES:

Jason Wasson
Richard Edwards
Joe Greenlee

BASS CLARINET:

Susie Swaim

ALTO CLARINET:

Donna Clark

BELLS:

Jackie James

OBOE:

Lila Faye Rogers

FLUTES:

Donna Grindle
Connie Frazier
Patti Ingle
Karen Coryell
Nancy Snyder

ALTO SAXOPHONES:

Peggy Haselmire
Barbara Frazier
Judi Ackley
Donna Wigger
Emma Nelson

TENOR SAXOPHONES:

Sue Schmidt
Joe Mangas

HORNS:

Terry Spradling
Toby Spradling
Fred Hoffman

TROMBONES:

Jim Webster
Gary Van Skyock
Larry Wasson
Darrell Walling
Jim Bob Greenlee

PERCUSSION:

Dick Snyder
Sam Hunt
Marvin Kegerreis
Lincoln McEntire
Jan Passmore
Mickey McClurg

MAJORETTES:

June Wheary
Kay Turner

DRUM MAJOR:

Sam Hunt

DIRECTOR:

Jack Henderson

# U.C.H.S. BAND

The band was entered in the annual Indiana School Music Association Marching Contest at Indianapolis Tech. last fall. It took a second division.

The band next participated in the annual Veteran's Day ceremony on November 11.

We sent several solos and ensembles to District Solo-Ensemble Contest on February 5.

The band ended this year at State Music Contest on April 16. It elected the following officers:

Jason Wasson - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - President
Richard Edwards - - - - - - - - - - - - Vice President
Peggy Haselmire - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Secretary
Mike Haselmire - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Librarians
Steve Shaw

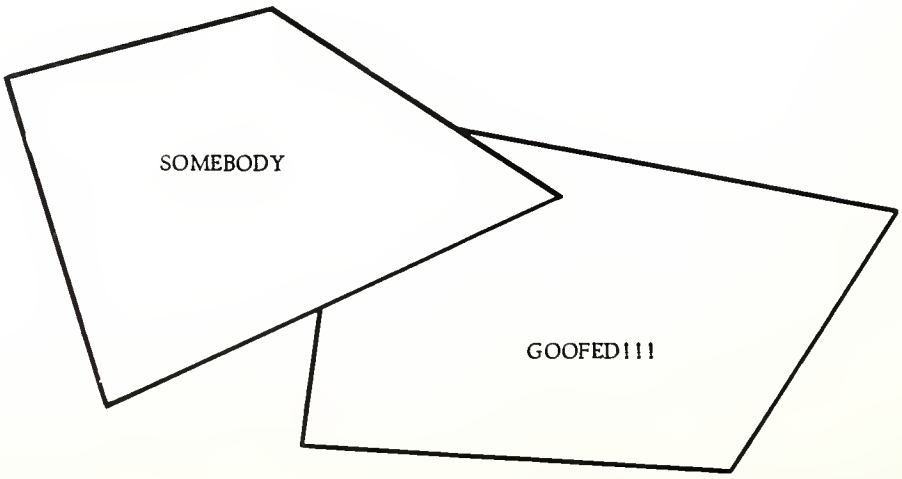
First row: June Robertson, Janice Leaver, Nancy Ingle, Kay Elliott, Patty Ingle, Evelyn Bradburn, Jackie James, Beverly Davis, Cecile Stivers, Emma Nelson, Carol Birum, Mary Crawford, and director, Mr. Henderson.

Second row: Sue Wheeler, Ann Mathias, Nancy Suitts, Marsa Rheinhart, Mary Jo Ruff, Shirley Ross, Janet Grile, Beverly Roberson, Sue Schmidt, Loretta Deaton, Gennine Menger, Alicia Sutton, Kay Turner, Marlene Beanblossom and Carol Jenkins.

Third row: Mary Stevenson, Janet Evans, Barbara Frazier, Sharon Hindsley, Patty Studebaker, Susan Carwon, Connie Frazier, Donna Clark, Peggy Haselmire, Donna Grindle, June Wheary, Ann Williams, Beverly Best and Donna Wigger.

Fourth row: Judy Ackley, Janet Adelsperger, Sharon Stilts, Barbarlou Coddington, Doris Shelly, Joyce Evans, Sandra Bickel, Lila Rogers, Sara Douglas, Sue Parks, Sue Swain, Kathleen Fitzmaurice, Martha Miller, Terry Spradling and Toby Spradling.

# GIRLS' CHORUS



First row: Mr. Henderson, director; Bill Catron, Allen Jefferis, Steve Shaw, Phil Arthur, David Vernon, Thurl Bradburn, David Leaver, Curtis Clear, Larry Bulcher, John Elliott and Donna Grindle, pianist.

Second row: Don Greek, Gerald MacDougle, Carl Kegerreis, Larry Wasson, Phil Stilts, John Runkle, Bob Naumann, Dick Snyder, Bob Bode, John Montano, Kurt Johnston, Fred Hofmann, Mike Haselmire and Mickey McClurg.

Third row: Richard Edwards, David Hensley, John Jenkins, Marvin Kegerreis, Sam Hunt, Larry Collins, Merril Heuss, Joe Mangas, Bill Wise, Joe Greenlee, Bob Williamson, Fred Maker, Bob Seman and Gary Williamson.

# BOYS' CHORUS

BOYS ABSENT

WHEN

BOYS' CHORUS

PICTURE

TAKEN!!!

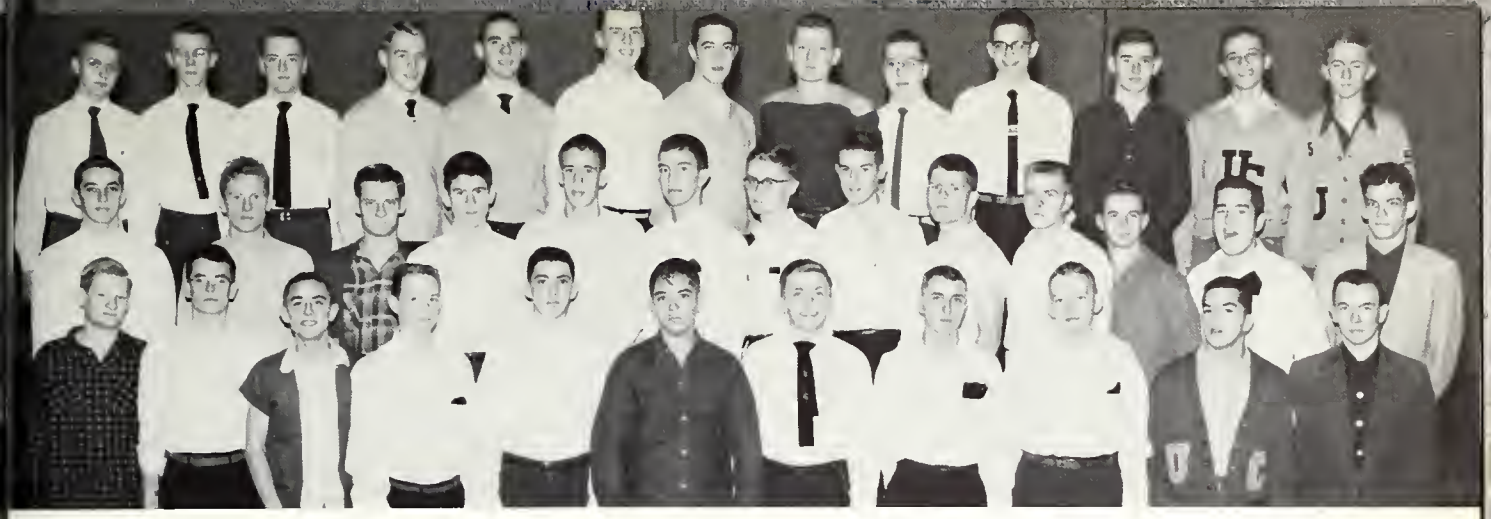
First row: June Robinson, Carol Birum, Cecil Stiver, Genine Menger, Patty Ingle, Kay Elliott, Mary Jo Ruff, Bill Catron, Allen Jefferis, Steve Shaw, Phil Arthur, David Vernon, Thurl Bradburn, David Leaver, Curtis Clear, Larry Bulcher, Jim Elliott, Nancy Ingle, Alicia Sutton, Beverly Davis, Janice Leaver, Ann Mathias, Emma Nelson and Mr. Henderson.

Second row: Marlene Beanblossum, Beverly Robisnson, Sue Wheeler, Sue Schmidt, Jeanette Grile, Evelyn Bradburn, Judy Ackley, Jackie James, Donald Greek, Gerald MacDougal, Carl Kegerries, Larry Wasson, Phil Stilts, Bob Body, Kurt Johnston, Fred Hofmann, Mike Haselmire, Mickey McClurg, Sharon Hindsley, Carol Jenkins, Kay Turner, Marcia Rinehart, Mary Crawford, Donna Grindle.

Third row: Ann Williams, Beverly Best, Connie Frazier, Susan Corwin, Martha Miller, Peggy Haselmire, Janet Adelsperger, Kathleen Fitzmaurice, John Runkle, Bob Naumann, Dick Snyder, Joe Greenlee, Bill Wise, Gary Williamson, John Montano, Loretta Deaton, Shirley Ross, Donna Clark, Toby Spradling, Barbara Frazier, Patty Studebaker.

Fourth row: Donna Wigger, Janet Evans, Joyce Evans, Susie Swain, Doris Shelly, Sara Douglas, Lila Faye Rogers, Richie Edwards, Dave Hensley, Sam Hunt, Marvin Kegerries, John Jenkins, Larry Collins, Merrill Heuss, Joe Mangas, Bob Williamson, Fred Maker, Bob Seamen, Sandra Bickel, Sue Parks, Barbralue Coddington, Sharon Stilts, Nancy Suitts, June Wheary, Terry Spradling, Mary Stevenson.

# MIXED CHORUS



First row: John Murphy, Gary Van Skyock, Terry Dickey, Bill Catron, Joe Greenlee, Bob Bosworth, Allen Jefferis, Phil Stilts, Curt Johnson, Dave Young, Mr. Ziegler.

Second row: Richie Edwards, Terry MacNally, Milt McCarter, Mike Blankely, Neil Brumbaugh, Marvin Kegerreis, Joe Mangas, Merrill Huess, Bob Smith, John Runkle, Wayne Wolford, Bob Body, Mr. North.

Third row: Bob Naumann, Dick Snyder, Bob Williamson, John Jenkins, Dave Hensley, Sam Hunt, John Rogers, Jason Wasson, Bill Wise, Larry Collins, Lloyd Weiler, Tom Wright, Larry Crisman.

First row: Denna Denehey, Gennine Menger, Kathleen O'Grady, Mary Stevenson, Toby Spradling, Terry Spradling, Connie Frazier, Sharon Stilts, Sara Douglas, Miss Hankenhoff, Sponsor; Doris Shelley, Ann Williams, Evelyn Bradburn, Janet Evans, Donna Wigger, Beverly Best, Sue Wheeler, Barbara Birum, Shirley Ross, Mary Jo Ruff.

Second row: Marlene Beanblossom, Cecile Stiver, Jackie James, Sandra Bickel, Sue Parks, Judi Ackely, Gwyneth Schricker, Janet Adelsperger, Beverly Davis, Beverly Coddington, Alicia Sutton, Lu Emma Westfall, Margaret Reichard, Kay Elliott.

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# JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

"DATE BAIT"

| | |
|---|---|
| Bob Jefferis | Nancy Suitts |
| Dave Hensley | Donna Grindle |
| John Jenkins | Allen Jefferis |
| Dianne Reeves | June Wheary |
| Dick Snyder | Don Johnston |
| Peg Haselmire | Bill Wise |

# "YOU CAN'T KISS CAROLINE"

| | |
|---|---|
| Ma Rand | LILA FAYE ROGERS |
| Caroline | NANCY SUITTS |
| Susie | EMMA NELSON |
| Miss Jameson | DONNA GRINDLE |
| Milt | JIM JACKSON |
| Johnnie | ALLEN JEFFERIS |
| Willie | FRED HOFMANN |
| Joe | DAVE HENSLEY |
| Stanley | DICK SNYDER |
| Howie | JOHN JENKINS |
| Bunny | CAROL BIRUM |
| Pat | PEGGY HASELMIRE |
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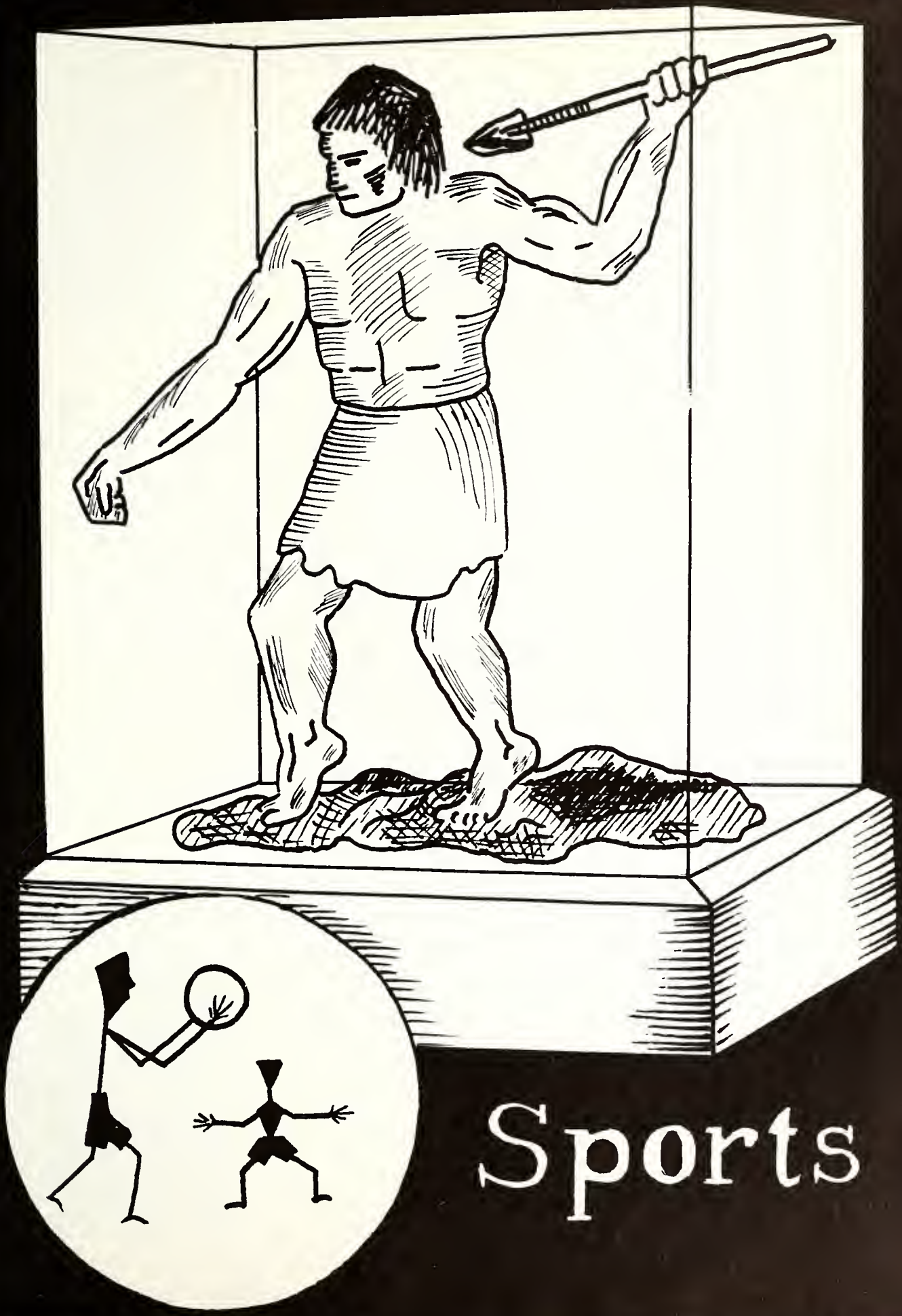
| Jeannette | MARY CROWFORD |
| Sally | BARBARA FRAZIER |

THE THREE HORSEMEN



# Sports

DICK BYRUM - Senior

NANCY SUITTS - Senior

Coach, JOE VERMILYA

JOHN JENKINS - Senior

DIANE REEVES - Senior

JASON WASSON - Senior

BOB WILLIAMSON - Senior

MIKE BLANKLEY - Junior

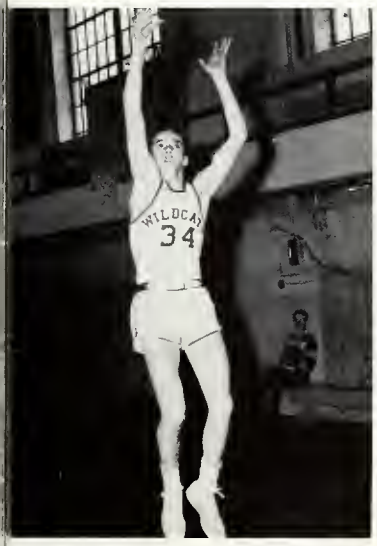
Managers, MERRIL HEUSS, GARY VAN SKYOCK and KEITH TIPPLE

JACKIE JAMES - Junior

LARRY COLLINS - Sophomore

BEVERLY BEST - Sophomore

TOM WRIGHT - Sophomore



RICHIE EDWARDS - Junior

MARVIN KEGERREIS - Junior

JOE MATHIAS - Junior

# 1954-5

| | | WE | THEY |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jackson, Ohio | There | 77 | 38 |
| Union Twp. | There | 50 | 63 |
| Portland | Here | 57 | 55 |
| Hagerstown | Here | 43 | 46 |
| Jackson, Ind. | Here | 90 | 44 |
| Cambridge City | There | 57 | 46 |
| Centerville | Here | 48 | 39 |
| Wayne | There | 76 | 62 |
| Lynn | Here | 47 | 48 |
| Centerville | Hag'st'n | 46 | 43 |
| Cambridge City | Hag'st'n | 65 | 44 |
| Parker | There | 52 | 42 |

| | | WE | THEY |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brookville | Here | 45 | 38 |
| Jefferson | Here | 90 | 40 |
| Farmland | There | 58 | 56 |
| Saratoga | Here | 73 | 52 |
| Stoney Creek | Here | 76 | 58 |
| Liberty | There | 42 | 46 |
| Morton Mem. | There | 62 | 54 |
| Pendleton | There | 68 | 64 |
| Stoney Creek | Sec'l. | 71 | 62 |
| Winchester | Sec'l. | 49 | 46 |
| Farmland | Sec'l. | 50 | 56 |

First row: Bill Catron, Fred Hoffman, Terry Dickey, Steve Shaw, Darrell Walling, Bill Welch, Larry Wasson and Keith Tipple, Manager.

Second row: Coach, Joe Vermilya; Charles Smith, Bob Seman, Bill Bradburn, Neil Brumbaugh, Tom Wright, Joe Greenlee and Gary VanSkyock, Manager.

# KITTENS

Janet Evans and Patty Studebaker

First row: Ronnie Mize, Don Dickey, John Pilkington, Don Kreider, Duane Walling, and Carlos Williams.

Second row: Tony Spatuzzi, Bob Cook, Jim Bowers, Larry Conklin, Jim VanSkyock, and Bobby Dickey.

Third row: Allen McEntire, Jim Spradling, Mike Birum, Gregory Mathias, Tom Miller, and Billy Harader.

# BOBCATS

For Good Sports - - - - - - - - - - Be One

Nancy Bonham, Janelyn St. Myers, David Ramsey, Anne Blankley, and Sue Best.

Cheerleaders--JACKIE JAMES, BEVERLY BEST, NANCY SUITTS, DIANNE REEVES.

First row: Donna Grindle, Peggy Haselmire, June Wheary, Barbara Frazier, Carol Birum, Emma Nelson, Patty Ingle, Judi Ackley, Martha Miller, Carol Jenkins, Beverly Coddington, Sandra Bickel, Sue Parks and Gwyneth Schricker.

Second row: Nancy Ingle, Terry Short, Connie Frazier, Ann Mathias, Toby Spradling, Terry Spradling, Kathleen O'Grady, Rebecca Smith, Margaret Reichard, Lu Emma Westfall, Janet Adelsperger, Beverly Davis, Beverly Roberson and Donna Clark.

Third row: Sue Schmidt, Barbara Birum, Kay Turner, Deanna Denehay, Ann Williams, Sara Douglas, Lila Rogers, Kay Elliott, Sue Wheeler, Gennine Menger, Joyce Evans, Shirley Ross, Mary Stevenson, and sponsor, Miss Perkins.

# CHEER BLOCK

# "ANOTHER GREAT SEASON"

The Union City Wildcats completed another great baseball season, winning 7 and losing only 1. They ended the fall season in a 3-way tie for first place with Farmland and Spartanburg, who had identical won and lost records with the Wildcats. There was no playoff this year, but every year after this there will be if a similar occurrence arises. Following is this year's schedule and individual batting averages:

First row: Gary Van Skyock, Terry Dickey, Jim Jackson, Larry Wasson, Dave Catron, Joe Greenlee.
Second row: Coach Vermilya, Joe Mathias, Tom Wright, John Jenkins, Bob Williamson.
Third row: Merrill Heuss, Marvin Kegerreis, Larry Collins, Dick Byrum, Jasson Wasson, and Richie Edwards.

SEASON RECORD

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Union City | 55 | Lynn | 2 |
| Union City | 31 | Saratoga | 0 |
| Union City | 16 | McKinley | 1 |
| Union City | 3 | Farmland | 8 |
| Union City | 6 | Spartanburg | 3 |
| Union City | 14 | Green | 6 |
| Union City | 24 | Jackson | 0 |
| Union City | 8 | Stoney Creek | 0 |

| PLAYER | HITS | AT BAT | AVERAGE |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jackson | 14 | 26 | .538 |
| Edwards | 9 | 23 | .391 |
| Wright | 10 | 26 | .384 |
| Jenkins | 5 | 15 | .333 |
| Williamson | 5 | 17 | .294 |
| Van Skyock | 5 | 17 | .294 |
| Catron, D. | 5 | 18 | .277 |
| Collins | 4 | 15 | .266 |
| Gilbert | 2 | 14 | .142 |
| Wasson, J. | 4 | 9 | .444 |
| Dickey | 3 | 7 | .428 |
| Greenlee | 2 | 7 | .285 |
| Wasson, L. | 1 | 6 | .166 |
| Byrum | 1 | 6 | .166 |
| Kegerreis | 1 | 9 | .111 |
| Mathias | 0 | 3 | .000 |
| Walling | 0 | 2 | .000 |
| Catron, B. | 0 | 2 | .000 |
| Heuss | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Bradburn | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Totals | 71 | 224 | .317 |

Team Average .317

First row: Richie Edwards, Fred Hoffman, Woody Wasson, Sam Hunt, Mike Blankley, and Mr. Brumbaugh.

Second row: Keith Tipple, Chuck Smith, Neil Brumbaugh, Bob Seaman, Jason Wasson, and Marv Kegerreis.

# FAREWELL IN '55

As we sadly roam the corriders,
Our last week at school, we find
We are reminded even now
Of the memories left behind;
Of our friends and teachers who,
Without much of our co-operation,
Worked for future occupation.
With tear-filled eyes we all recall
Our childish pranks, and then
We start to laugh, but remember they are gone
And our eyes fill once again.
It's so very hard in words to say
"Farewell" to things you loved so;
And your classmates part at the door
But plan to meet on the road to success
With fond memories evermore.

SUCCESSUS STAFF

# SCHOOL SONG

To Union High, the school we love,
We sing a song of praise,
To all her many victories won,
And high her banners raise.
To glorify our Alma Mater,
Work for her with zest,
To show to all the world aroung
That Union High is best.

So let's join in the cheer
While we're all gathered here,
Cheer for old U. C. High
Rah! Rah!
We are ready to fight
For the red and the white,
Dear old U. C. High
For her honor and fame
For her glorious name,
We will stand every loyal man.
So cheer, cheer, the gang's all here,
All out for U. C. High
Rah!

# CLASS SONG

Loyal to West Side
Class of '55
Keep our colors flying
We will never let them die

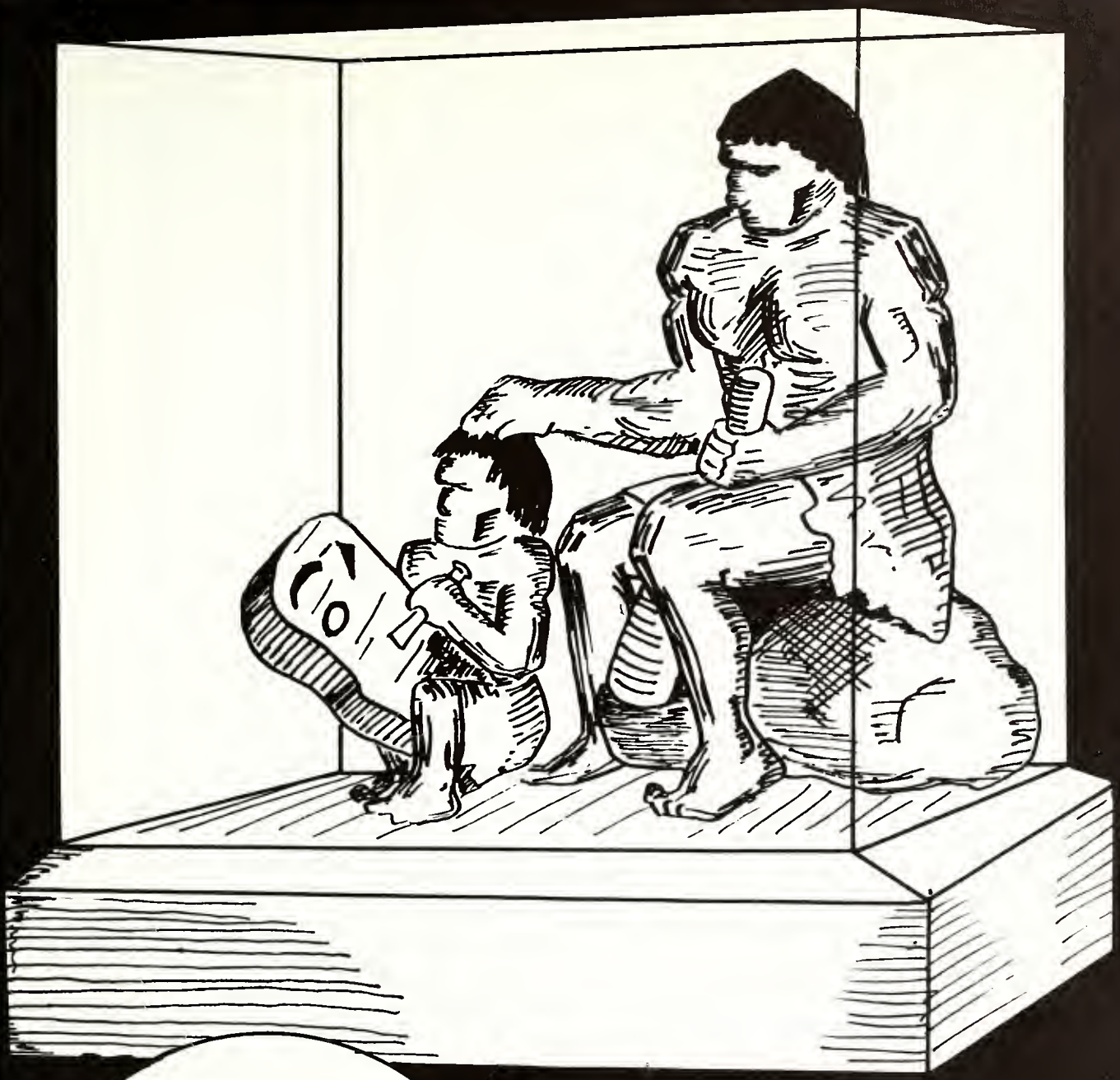
Rah! Rah! Rah!

Dear Alma Mater we will not forget
All of our memories through the years
And all of the friends we've met.

Oh, to our colors
Navy, blue, and white
We are ever faithful
As they keep us in the right

Rah! Rah! Rah!

Through halls of West Side,
Still our voices sing
Praises to Union High's fair name
And our Class of '55.



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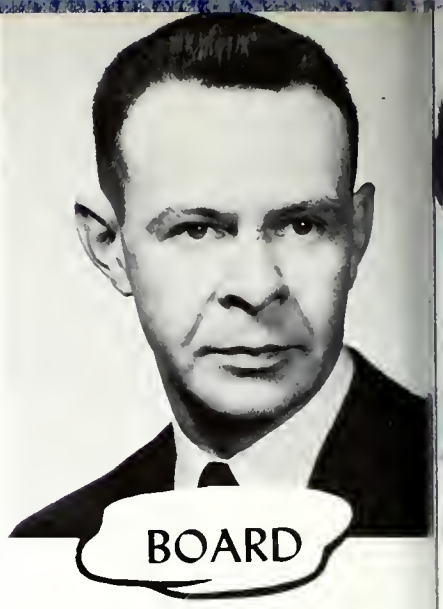


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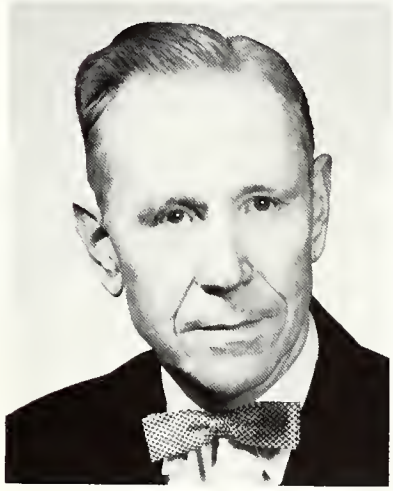

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BILL ZEIGLER
A.B., Art

Front row: Miss Huffer, Miss Higgs, Miss Smith, Miss Bunger, Miss Murphy, Mrs. Hensley. Standing, left to right: Mr. Simpson, Mrs. Arnold, Miss Stults, Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Butcher, Mrs. Comer, Mrs. Key, Mr. Leichty.

# REMEMBER WHEN??

President
DICK SNYDER

Vice President
EMMA NELSON

Secretary
BOB NAUMANN

Treasurer
ALLEN JEFFERIS

ALLEN - DICK - BOB - EMMA

We dedicate this space to
Thomas Nelson,

brother of Emma Nelson, who would have been a member of this graduating class.

# SENIORS

Sponsors

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MISS HUBER

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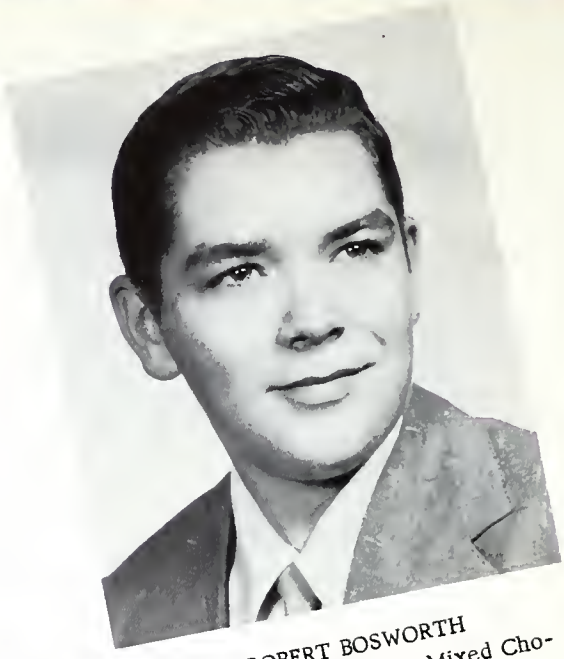
Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Girls' Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2; Solo-Ensemble 1,2,3,4; Successus 4; Westerner 4; GAA 1,2; Class Play 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4.



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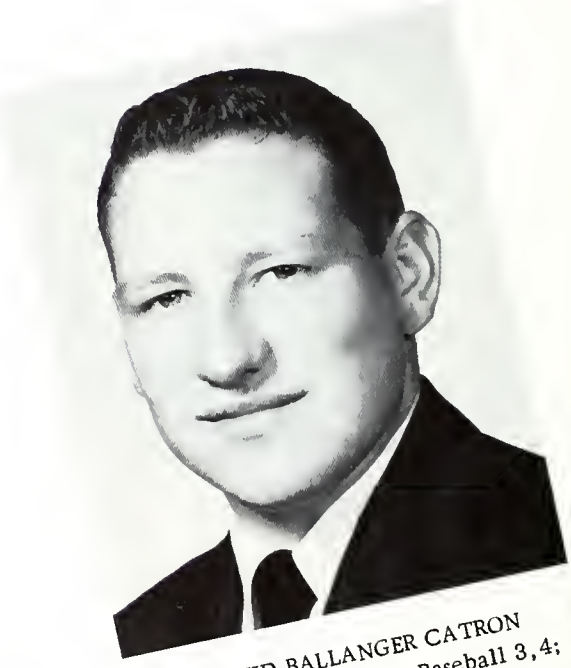

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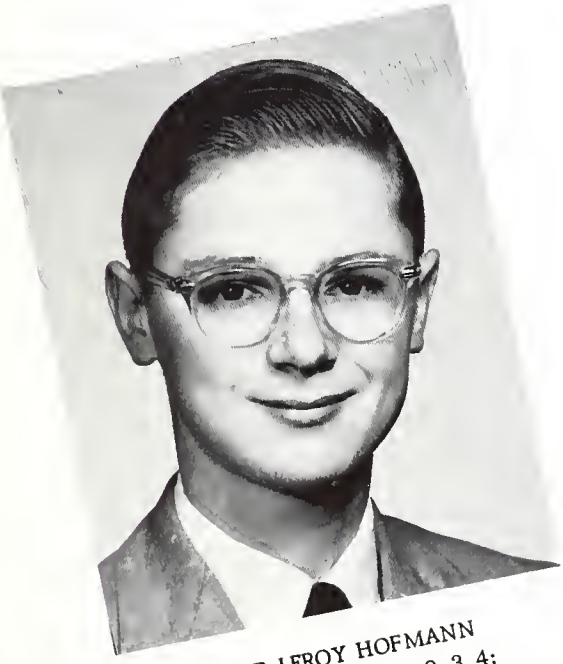

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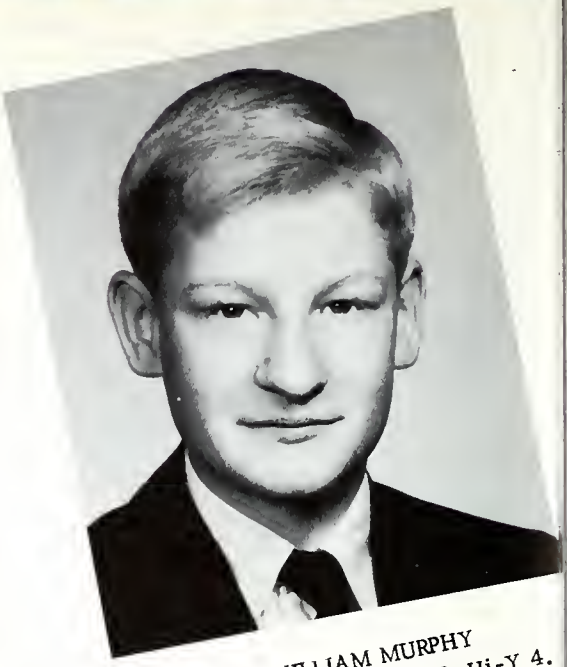

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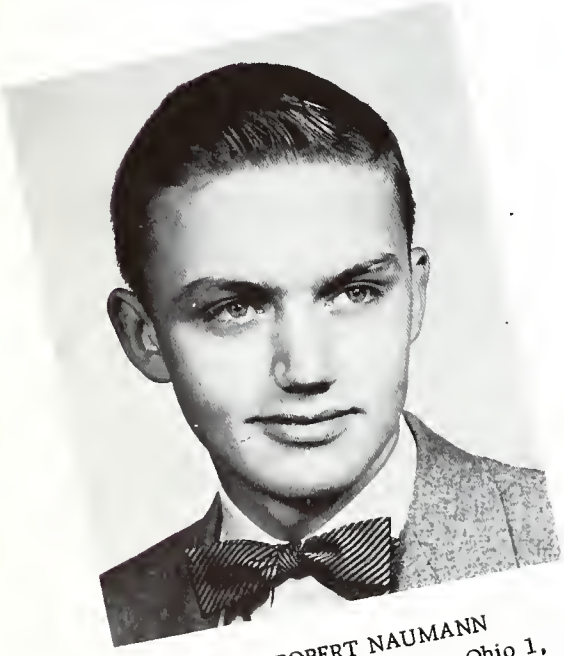

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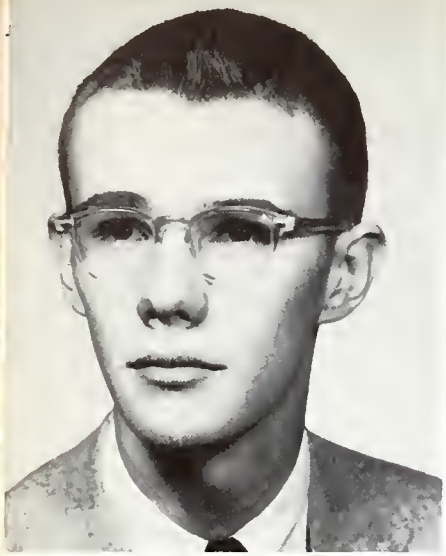

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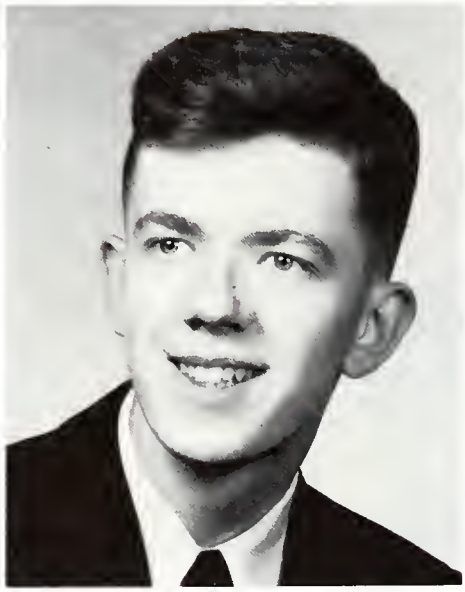

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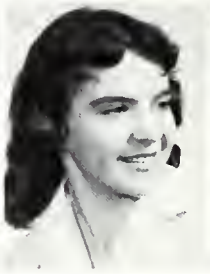

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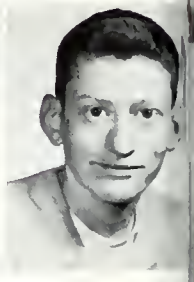

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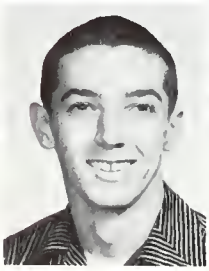

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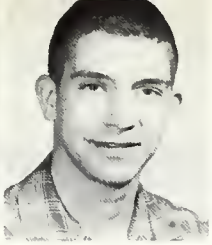
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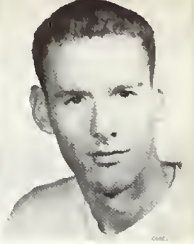
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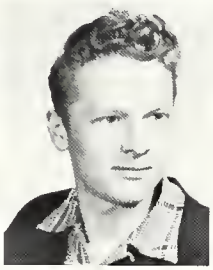
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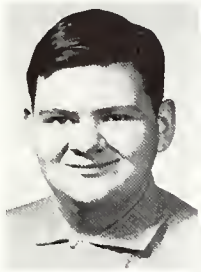
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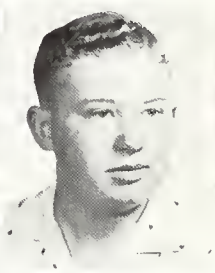
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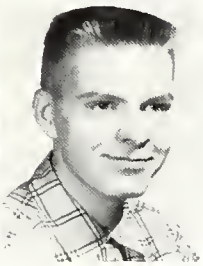
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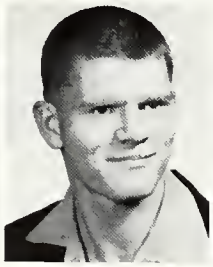
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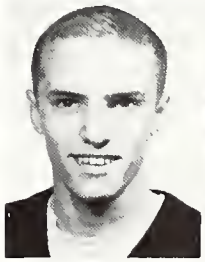
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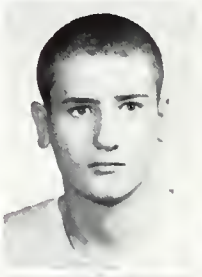

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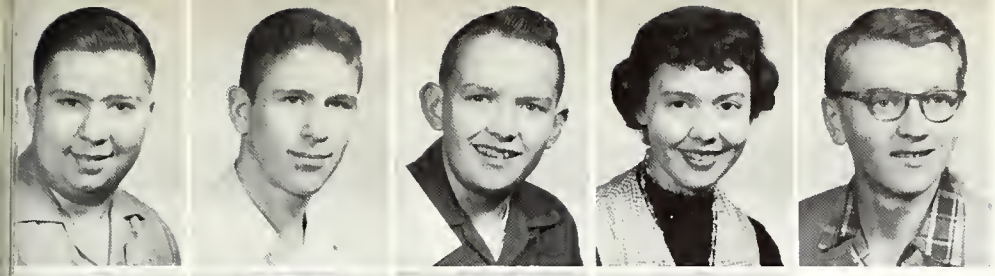

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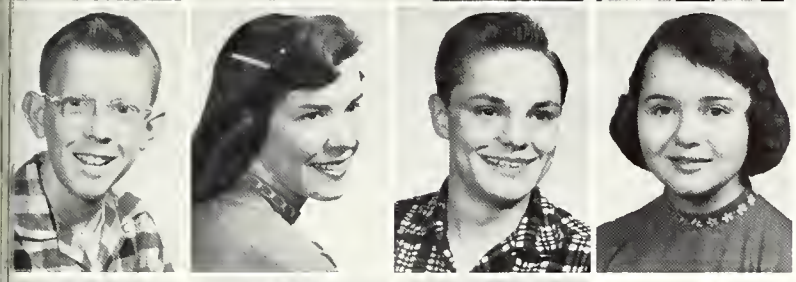

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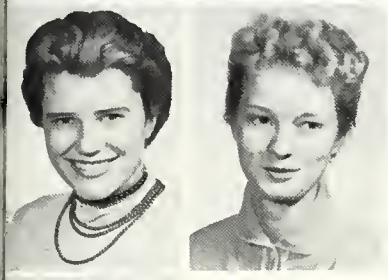

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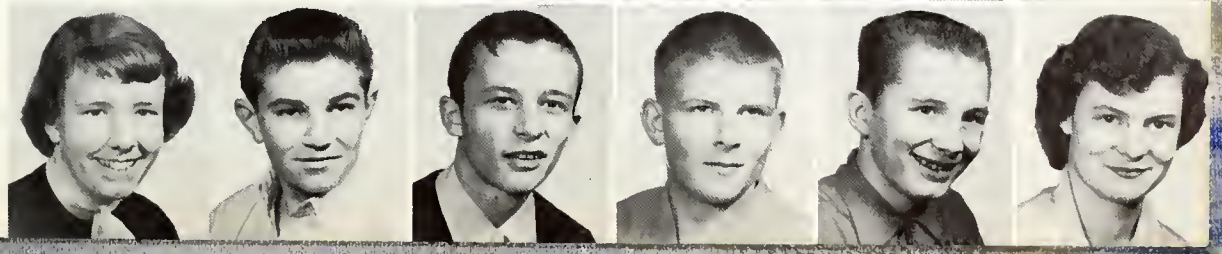

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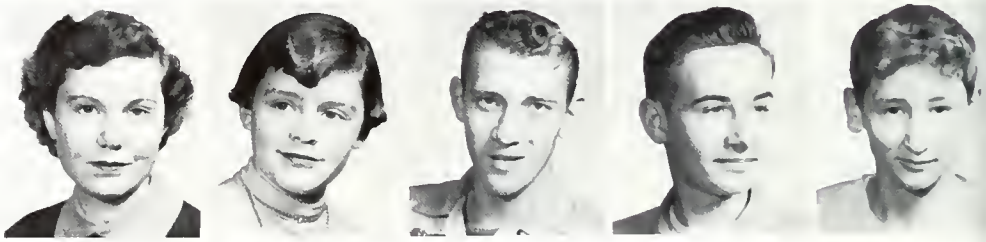

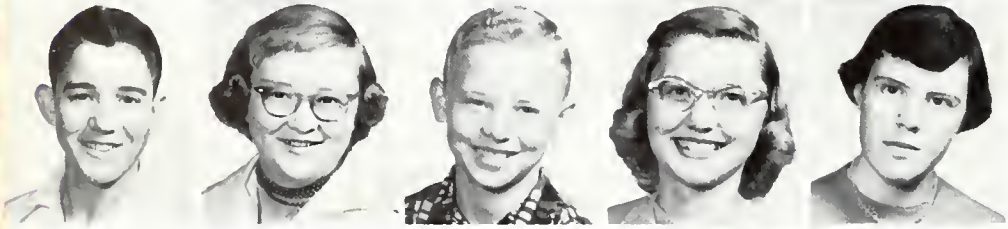

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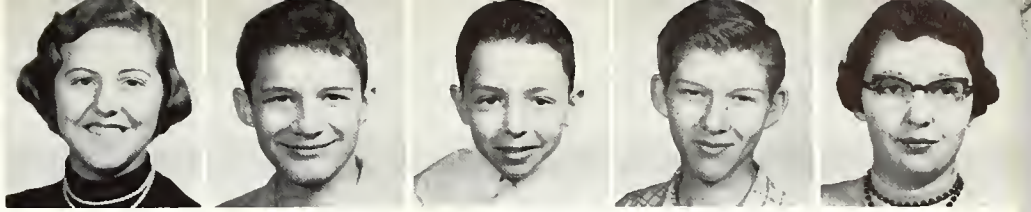

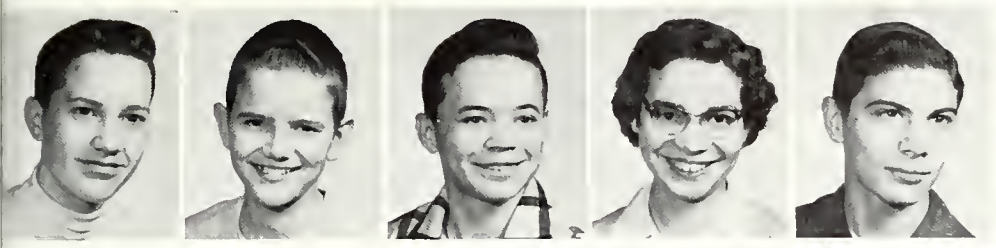

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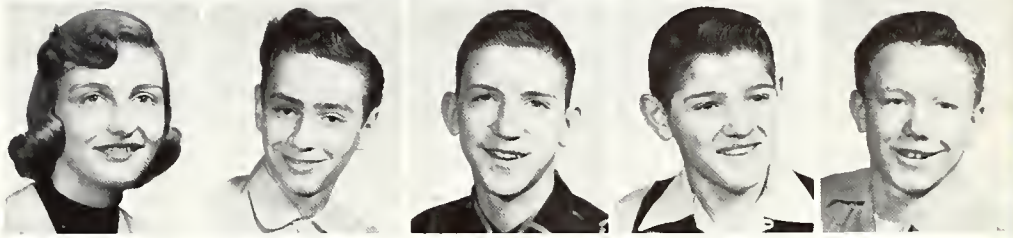

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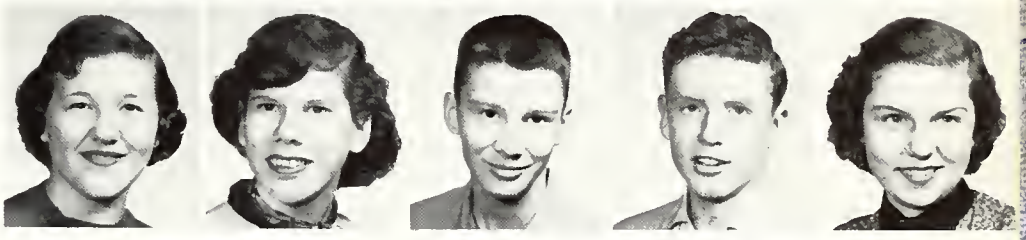

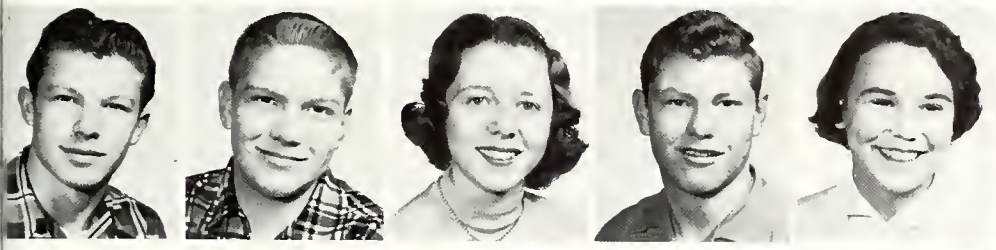

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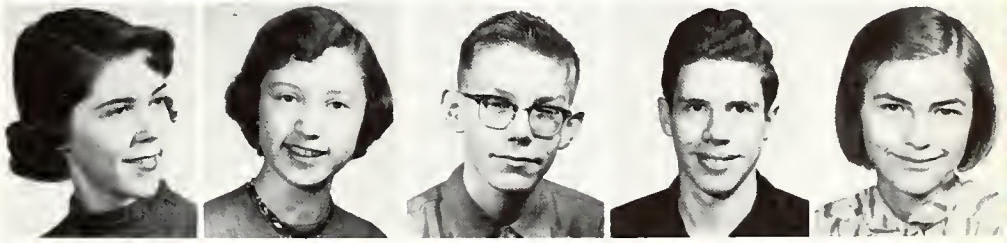

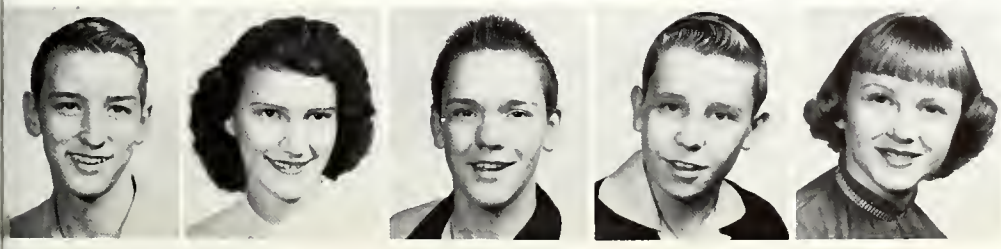

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First row: Judy Yoder, Jana Coryell, Lucille Teagarden, Karen Pilkington, Kathy Adelsperger, Janelyn St. Myers, Nancy Bonham, Diane Suitts, Madelyn Brown, and Nancy Webster.

Second row: Raymond Nelson, Mickey Kaufman, Bob Caupp, Larry Conklin, Roberta Spence, Virginia Pascal, Sue Best, Donna Menger, Marilyn Greek, George Throp, Jimmy Wolf, Tony Spattuzzi, Mike Birum.

Third row: Mrs. Hankenhoff, Jack Halberstadt, Gary Elliott, Terry Buckingham, Ralph Vernon, Bobby Dickey, Tommy Armstrong, Calvin Johnson, Gene Key, Charles Anderson, Duane Walling, Gail Grimes, Ronnie Hollopeter, Allen McEntire.

Fourth row: Donnie Suitts, Jim Bothast, Bill Harader, Tommy Miller, Jim Pascal, Jim Huffer, Melvin Grile, Ronnie Harmon, Bob Cook, Jim Spradling, Bob Wigger, Donald Nelson, Mr. Dinter.

# SCHOOL CALENDAR

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| Sept. | 1 | Beginning of school--book day--old friends, but new books. |
| | 7 | First day regular classes--salt mines again! |
| | 9 | Class elections--stuff the ballot box. |
| | 16 | Open House--how's Johnny getting along? |
| | 21 | Organization of Tri-Hi and Hi-Y. |
| Oct. | 15 | End of 6 weeks--keep the home fires burning. |
| | 16 | Marching contest--hard work! |
| | 21-22 | State teachers' convention--vacation--sweet sleep! |
| | 26 | Senior play--full house and command performance. |
| Nov. | 8-13 | Education week. |
| | 11 | Chili supper--senior candy sale--"how much for a nickle." |
| | 18 | Senior pictures--"smile, Lover girl!" |
| | 19 | Collection for annual--no school, seniors! |
| | 23 | Senior bean supper--"get your pies here!" |
| | 24 | Thanksgiving vacation begins--end of 6 weeks--"don't look, Dad." |
| | 25-26 | No school--"Andy, get your gun." |
| Dec. | 1 | Fisher Body Guild program. |
| | 2 | Group Pictures. |
| | 13 | Scholarship tests--seniors become living encyclopedias. |
| | 16 | Aptitude tests--never knew you had it in you. |
| | 20 | Jr.-Hi Christmas party--real nice. |
| | 21 | Sr.-Hi Christmas party--look your best! |
| | 22 | Christmas vacation begins--here comes Santa! |
| Jan. | 1 | Hagerstown tourney--nice work, boys! |
| | 3 | School begins again--back to the grind. |
| | 4 | Girls' Club party--more fun! |
| | 20-21 | Semester exams--burn the midnight oil. |
| | 23 | End of 6 weeks. |
| | 24 | Second semester begins. |
| Feb. | 5 | Solo-ensemble contest--points! |
| | 19 | State solo-ensemble contest. |
| | 23-26 | Sectional tournament--yea, rah, Wildcats! |
| Mar. | 4 | End of 6 weeks. |
| Apr. | 8 | Good Friday--no school. |
| | 11 | No School. |
| | 15 | End of 6 weeks--one lap to go. |
| | 16 | Music contest--nice work, kids. |
| May | 22 | Baccalaureate. |
| | 23-24 | Final exams--Methought I heard a voice cry, "Sleep no more." |
| | 26 | Commencement--grade cards-------it's over! |

# THE PROPHECY OF THE CLASS OF 1955

It is the year 3055. The great metropolis of Union City is swarming with people who are attending the grand opening of the Museum of the Class of 1955. Among the throng is the senior class of a New York high school on their class trip.

As they glide down the street to the museum, they pass the "Moonglow" Bottling Company established by the late D.A. Jefferis. Across the way is the Hofmann Clothing Salon honoring the girls of the freshman classes of all years past, present, and future.

At last they reach the ultra-modern museum. At the shining glass entrance they are greeted by the guides David "Rosey" Catron and his wife, Peggy Haselmire. Surprised to find two members of this famous class still living, they are told that Rosey discovered the fountain of youth and shared it with his wife.

In the first room, the class learns many facts about some of the Senior Class members of 1955. These facts are recorded on microfilm and then projected on a screen. Barbara Frazier and Bob Naumann worked together in 2030 to produce square soap bubbles and a waterless washing device. Sam Hunt, the great world photographer, and his assistant, Sharon Hindsley, covered the invasion of the Neptunians in 2055. James Jackson and Dianne Reeves served a term as President and First Lady of the United States. Dianne's famous initials, F.D.R., were a great drawing for them in the campaign. Donna Grindle gave her life to teaching the three-handed Martians how to play the piano. Carol Birum was known to all the world as the star trumpet player in Bill Wise's all girl orchestra.

We find in the next room some articles left to the museum by the famous class members. Professor Lila Faye Rogers left her five comered college cap signifying the five degrees she received before retiring to be the hostess at T. Texas Weiler's guest ranch. Next they see a diamond studded bathing suit and diving helmet belonging to June Wheary who was the founder of U.W.S.C.F.A.W.O.(Under Water Swimmers Club for Admirals' Wives Only.) Even in 3055 the group recognizes the well worn cue stick used by the world champion billiard player, Phil Stilts. A lovely volume of Shakespeare's play "Macbeth" is on display on the book shelf. It was given by John Murphy and Bob Bosworth who became authorities on Shakespeare after being inspired in the senior literature class. Other books on this shelf are, THE CARE AND FEEDING OF BOY-FRIENDS by Nancy Suitts; John Rogers' HARDY MAN; and THREE BRIDES AND OH BROTHER! written co-operatively by Carol MacDougal, Janice Leaver, and Mary Crawford.

The next room is the Union City Hall of Fame for Sports. There stands a silver statue of John Jenkins, the coach who took the triumphant Wildcats to win the State Basketball Tourney for 50 consecutive years. (Incidentally, the tourney was discontinued because Union City was hogging the show everytime.) Bob "Willie" Williamson, famous fast talking sportscaster, stands with Dick "Hecter" Byrum who was the world's finest and fairest basketball player.

We find in the sunlighted hallway, portraits of Dick Snyder, the engineer who constructed the Earful Tower with tooth picks, and David Hensley, the speedy guy who broke the outer space barrier. Both men have the famous hair style created by Monsieur Was'son, better known as Jason Wasson.

Tired and hungry, the people throng to the famous Emma Nelson Fly-In Restaurant which is still standing through the ages. Recipes for dishes like psychologist Kay Donna Smith created are still being used as "food for thought."

They leave the museum thinking that the increase of life expectancy from 67 to 150 is marvelous. They look to the future thinking that Union City is a pretty good place to come from.

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# CLASS WILL

We, the class of 1955, as a whole, will to the Juniors the exclusive rights of the Seniors, to the Sophomores our vim, vigor, and vitality, and to the Freshmen hopes for the future. As classes, to Mr. Harader we will all our government reports and grant him his "granteds." To Miss Brooks we leave her quizzes. To Mr. Brumbaugh we will our "ideas." To Mr. Frazier, Mr. Henderson, and Miss Huber we leave silence in the lower halls. To Mr. Hoover we leave our typing erasers, shorthand notebooks, and bookkeeping practice sets.

1. EMMA "SUSIE" NELSON wills her eavesdropping behind magazine racks to Shirley Ross.
2. DAVE "ROSIE" CATRON leaves his calorie chart to Fred Maker.
3. JOHN MURPHY leaves a lock of his lovely blonde hair to any girl who can match it.
4. To Doris Shelly, SAM HUNT leaves his flat top and duck-tail hair cut.
5. DIANNE REEVES wills her ability to attract boys to Barbara Monk.
6. T. TEXAS WEILER, wills to Link McEntire his drawl and cowboy boots.
7. To Jimmy Weaver, CAROL BIRUM leaves her golden-toned trumpet.
8. JUNE "HAIN'T IT" WHEARY, leaves her long hair to the mop factory. "Say Shore."
9. To Joe Mathias, JOHN JENKINS leaves his false teeth.
10. DONNA GRINDLE leaves Boys' Glee Club to Toby Spradling. Take it easy fellas!
11. DAVE HENSLEY wills to John Runkle his clever remarks in English class. "For Heaven's sake!"
12. PEGGY HASELMIRE leaves free root beers for everybody from Noffsinger's. Providing Gerald's not there.
13. To Jimmy Dorsey, BARBARA FRAZIER leaves her saxophone. He's bigger than she is.
14. JANICE LEAVER leaves singing "O Danny Boy."
15. To Carol Jenkins, SHARON HINDSLEY wills her lovely laugh.
16. CAROL MAC DOUGAL and MARY CRAWFORD leave the Home Ec. department to Miss Huber. They're going to organize their own.
17. JOHN ROGERS leaves school. At Last!!!
18. To the Junior girls, ALLEN JEFFERIS leaves highway 71.
19. LILA FAYE ROGERS leaves "Clem," her taxi to anyone generous enough to charge free fare.
20. To Sandra Bickel, KAY DONNA SMITH wills her kind and pleasant ways.
21. BILL WISE leaves his popularity to "Squeek" Greek.
22. To Terry McNally, BOB BOSWORTH wills his billiard ability.
23. PHIL STILTS leaves the Junior High girls to Bob Smith.
24. BOB WILLIAMSON leaves his ability to attract the new girls to anyone who needs it.
25. To Kurt Johnston BOB NAUMANN wills his scouting sprees. Happy hunting!
26. NANCY SUITTS leaves her charm and good looks to Evelyn Bradburn.
27. To Mike Haselmire, DICK BYRUM wills his wild and fickle ways.
28. JASON WASSON leaves "lookin' back to see." "Yes he isn't!"
29. To Terry Dickey, JIM JACKSON wills his businesslike manner.
30. DICK SNYDER leaves his dancing ability to Marv Kegerreis.
31. To Jan Passmore, FRED HOFMANN wills his freedom in band. Demerits!

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